

STATE OF INDIANA)
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COUNTY OF MARION)

BEFORE THE INDIANA
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

CAUSE NO.: 21870-AD23-0

105-005

IN THE MATTER OF:

Michelle Bastian
315 Amesbury Dr.
Apt. 206
Lafayette, LA 70507

Applicant.

Type of Agency Action: Enforcement

License Application #: 993779

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STATE OF INDIANA
DEPT. OF INSURANCE

PRELIMINARY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
AND NOTICE OF LICENSE DENIAL

The Indiana Department of Insurance, pursuant to the Indiana Administrative Orders and Procedures Act, Indiana Code § 4-21.5-1 *et seq.* and Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12, hereby gives notice to Michelle R. Bastian (“Applicant”) of the following Administrative Order:

1. Applicant filed an application for nonresident producer licensure with the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance (“Commissioner”) on August 22, 2022.
2. Before approving an application, the Commissioner must find that the applicant has met specific requirements under Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-8 and Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12.
3. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1) provides, in part, that the Commissioner may refuse to issue an insurance producer’s license for providing incorrect, misleading, incomplete, or materially untrue information in a license application.
4. Following a review of public records, and a review of materials submitted by Applicant in support of her application, the Commissioner, being fully advised, now hereby notifies Applicant that she has not fully met the requirements of licensure as stated by Indiana Code

§ 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1) due to her failure to disclose on her application, an administrative action from the Louisiana Department of Insurance for failing to disclose her criminal record on her producer license application, resulting in a fine for two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).

5. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(d) provides that the applicant may, not more than sixty-three (63) days after notice of denial of the application is mailed, make written demand to the Commissioner for a hearing before the Commissioner to determine the reasonableness of the Commissioner's action.
6. This is considered an agency action. This action has been initiated by the aforementioned authority. If you choose to appeal this agency action, the State of Indiana Office of Administrative Law Proceedings ("OALP") will assign an administrative law judge to preside over this matter, and subsequently you will be contacted by the OALP with more information to begin the administrative process.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Applicant's request for licensure is hereby DENIED pursuant to Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1) due to Applicant's failure to disclose an administrative action from the Louisiana Department of Insurance on her application for licensure. Applicant may reapply for licensure not less than one (1) year from the date of this order.

02-07-2023
Date Signed



Amy L. Beard, Commissioner
Indiana Department of Insurance

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